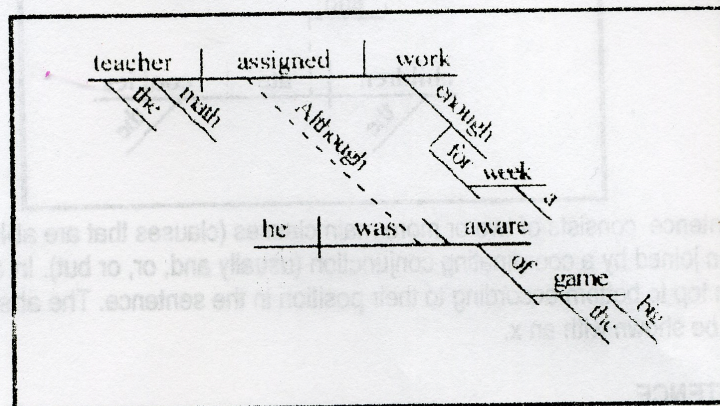


### EXAMPLE #2

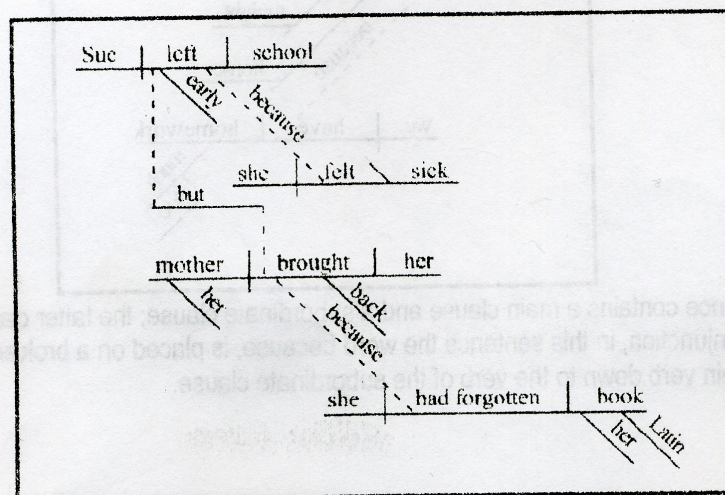
Although he was aware of the big game, the math teacher assigned enough work for a week.

Even when the subordinate clause (sometimes called dependent clause) comes first, it is diagrammed below the main clause (sometimes called the independent clause). Like because in the previous sentence, although is a subordinating conjunction; others are since, while, after, if, unless, and so that. Subordinate clauses introduced by subordinating conjunctions are called adverbial clauses. Note: the prepositional phrase for a week modifies the attributive adjective enough.



### COMPOUND-COMPLEX

Sue left school early because she felt sick, but her mother brought her back because she had forgotten her Latin book.



If a sentence contains two or more main clauses and at least one subordinate clause, it is called a compound-complex sentence. In the sentence above, the coordinating conjunction is but, and the subordinating conjunction (used twice) is because.